

Jesus Christ, Our Blessed Savior

JESUS CHRISTUS, UNSER HEILAND (8 8. 7 8)

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harm. Joachim Decker, 1604

John Huss, c. 1369-1415

tr. anon.

1. Je - sus Christ, our bless - ed Sav - - - ior,
 2. As His pledge of love un - dy - - - ing
 3. Who - so to this Board re - pair - - - eth
 4. Praise the Fa - ther, who from heav - - - en

Turned a - way God's wrath for - ev - - - er;
 He, this pre - cious food sup - ply - - - ing,
 May take heed how He pre - par - - - eth;
 Un - to us such food hath giv - - - en,

By His bit - ter grief and woe
 Gives His bod - y with the bread
 For if he does not be - lieve,
 And, to mend what we have done,

He saved us from the e - - - vil Foe.
 And with the wine the blood He shed.
 Then death for life he shall re - ceive.
 Gave in - to death His on - - - ly Son.

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5. Thou shalt hold with faith unshaken
 6. Christ says: "Come, all ye that labor,
 7. "Useless were for thee My Passion,
 8. If thy heart this truth professes

That this food is to be taken
 And receive My grace and favor;
 If thy works thy wealth could fashion.
 And thy mouth thy sin confesses,

By the sick who are distressed,
 They who feel no want nor ill
 This feast is not spread for thee
 His dear guest thou here shalt be,

By hearts that long for peace and rest.
 Need no phy - si - cian's help nor skill.
 If thine own Sav - ior thou wilt be."
 And Christ Him - self shall ban - quet thee.